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PATRICK C. KELIHER
COMMISSIONER

May 16, 2016

Christine Wolfe, Town Clerk 30 Main St. Freeport, ME 04032

Re: Conservation Closure(s)/Opening(s)

Dear Ms. Wolfe:

This is to acknowledge receipt of the following request(s). New requests are in BOLD.

Effective	End Date	Shellfish Area	Status
01/27/2016	06/15/2016	Freeport town line Cousins River (#14) to the Freeport town line on Flying Point (#16) all areas currently managed by the town of Freeport. Closed for soft-shell clam harvesting Fridays, Saturdays, Sundays; and all nights from ½ hour past sunset or 6pm, whichever is sooner, to ½ hour before sunrise. All other species open to harvest.	Closed
06/16/2016	10/15/2016	Freeport town line Cousins River (#14) to the Freeport town line on Flying Point (#16) all areas currently managed by the town of Freeport. Closed for soft-shell clam harvesting Sundays and Mondays; and all nights from 6pm to ½ hour before sunrise. All other species open to harvest.	Closed

This office approves of the Town of Freeport conservation measures. We appreciate your efforts to keep us informed on your conservation activities.

If I can be of further assistance, please don't hesitate to contact me.

Sincerely,

Denis-Marc Nault

Shellfish Program Supervisor

cc: Lt. Daniel White, Marine Patrol Division I - Boothbay

Pete Thayer, Area Biologist

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